

MASONIC TEMPLE
416½ North Main Street
Los Angeles, California

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PHOTOGRAPHS
WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA
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Historic American Buildings Survey,
Henry F. Withey, District Officer,
906 Architects Building,
Los Angeles, California.

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Built in 1858 by the Los Angeles Masonic Lodge No. 42, F. & A. M. and was the first lodge building in Southern California. This lodge was instituted in 1854 and up to 1869 was the only Masonic Lodge in Los Angeles, and was the first organization formed there by the Americans other than the government itself.

It is of the two-story brick type, with plastered front and flat roof. Now occupied by stores and owned by Mrs. Teresa Turnetto of Los Angeles.

Marion Parks "Doors to Yesterday"
Published in 1932 by Los Fiesteros
de la Calle Olvera, p. 7

Approved

District Officer

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